Indian Lake Shores Fire District Council Meeting April 26, 2015

The meeting was called to order at 6:05 PM Members present were: Bob Persson, John Mycroft, Stu Westin, Kevin Donohue, Kathi Spangler, Hiro Uchida, Pat L Giarrusso and Pat J Giarusso

The secretary's report from the meeting on 3/31 was reviewed and accepted with no revisions.

The treasurer's report was presented by Hiro. We have collected almost 90% of expected revenue, including some delinquent payments, and are in good financial shape. The report was accepted by an unanimous vote.

Old Business:

- The geese abatement team was active on 4/26, with all paperwork and permissions in order.
- Sturdy ladders have been purchased for both rafts and will be installed by John and crew.
 After some discussion, it was decided to use chain rather than rope to secure the rafts to their anchors. This will allow us to leave the rafts in the lake rather than trying to pull them in every year.
- Neighbor Eric Slader continues to feed the seagulls and litter his yard. The brand new dock is covered in seagull excrement. His immediate neighbors have written to the state building inspector to see what can be done as the town has not responded effectively to our pleas for relief.

New Business:

- Pat J and John reported on their visit to the state house in search of our charter. Apparently we have Articles of Incorporation but no charter.
- Pat L. reported on a positive phone conversation with the Union Fire District Board of Wardens chairman. She presented a letter written in collaboration with Hiro, Pat J and John. The letter asks the UFD to take over collection of fire protection taxes from ILSFD. The letter was approved by the council and will be sent out or hand delivered by mid-week.
- it was decided that having a list of willing volunteers to call on as needed was a good way to
 proceed with getting community chores accomplished. This list will be updated at annual
 meetings.
- A budget meeting will be held on July 23rd at 7PM at Hiro's
- The Annual Meeting and picnic will be held on August 16th at 3 PM at the playgraound/park

The meeting was adjourned at 7:20 Respectfully submitted Pat L. Giarrusso